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FERMENTATION PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF
RECOMBINANT POLYPEPTIDES
Group Art Unit: 1633
Examiner: Maria Gomez Leavitt

Response To Final Office Action of December 10, 2008

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Madam:

In response to the Final Office Action dated December 10, 2008, Applicants respectfully request entry and consideration of the following amendments and remarks. The amendments begin on page 2 of this submission, and the remarks on page 6.